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BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAK

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THE BANK receives Money on Deposit,

Issues Letters of Oredit, forwards Bills for

Intimations.

SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS,

STEAMER SUNK IN N.W. ENTRANCE

TO BUNHAM STRAIT.

NOTICE is hereby given that it has been

PEKING lies SUNK in about 9 fathoms

Approximate Position.

Stops are being taken to have the wreck

marked, until removed, by a three masted

Lorcha having her mainmant aurmounted by

black ball, which will form the day mark;

and showing by night, suspended vertically

from a yard on her mainmest a fixed red

light at an elevation of about 45 feet and

a fixed white light 12 feet lower. It is

expected the lights will be exhibited on the

During foggy weather a gong will be

Until a further Notice is issued to the

effect that the wreck no longer forms a

danger to havigation, vessels should exer-

cise great caution when nearing its vicinity.

-Commissioner of Customs.

SOCIÉTÉ FRANÇAISE DES HOUIL-

LÉRES DE TOURANE.

ING of the SHAREHOLDERS will

1 .- Receiving the Reports of the Directors.

2.-Receiving the Report of the Auditor.

5 .- Renewing the permission given to some

6 -Confirming the sale of some property

Directors to do business with the

of the Societé to the Banque de

are requested to deposit their Shares

with Messra. ULYSSE PILA & Co.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

SHARRHOLDERS wishing to be represented

d'Haiphong, or the Undersigned.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN AND

THE STRAITS LIMITED.

THE OFFICE of the Bank has This Day

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

Issue of 10,000 New Shares of \$10 each.

DURSUANT to Resolution, the GENERAL

LIMITED, hereby invites applications

from the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company

of \$10 each at a Premium of 50 Por Cent.,

for the ISSUE of 10,000 NEW SHARES

Each Registered Shareholder on the 31st

day of May next applying for the New

Issue will be entitled to one Share for every Five Shares registered in his name. Shares

remaining unafforted in respect of incom-

plete numbers of Five Shares and Shares

not applied for by those entitled to apply

will be allotted among the General Manager

MANAGER of A. S. WATSON & Co.,

been REMOVED to No. 9, PRAYA.

CHANTREY INCHBALD.

Manager

4.—Electing Directors and the Auditor.

take place at HAIPHONE, RUE DE LA DOUANE

(former Head Office of the Societé), at 5

C. H. PALMER,

· Harbour Muster.

-- CAUTION:

evening of the 11th Instant.

R. E. BREDON.

Shanghai, 9th May, 1892.

gounded.

Approved :

Custom House,

the purpose of—

3.—Passing the Accounts.

l'Indo Chine.

By Order.

Hongkong, May 9, 1892.

Hongkoug, May 16, 1892.

or \$15 a Share.

application.

S.E. & S. ..

reported to this Office that the S.B.

Hongkong, August 19, 1891.

Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange.

West End Office...25, Cockapur Street.

# Fobruary,





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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—B. Algan, 11 & 12, Clement's Lune, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill, Gordon & Goron, Ludgate Circus, E.C. Bates HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.O. Simuel Deacon & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street. W. M. Wills, 151,

Connon Street, E.O. ROBERT WATSON, 150 Fleet Street PARIS AND EUROPE:--AMEDER PRINCE. 36. Rie Lafavette, Paris. NEW YORK :- J. STEWART HAPPER, THE CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West

22d Street. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- BEAN & BLACK, San Fran-AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW

Collection, and Transacts Banking and ZEALAND: GOBDON & GOTOB, Mel-Agency Business generally, on terms to bourne and Sydney. had on application.

E. W. RUTTER, OKYLON :-- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECABLES Co., Colombo, SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.: SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. O. HEINBERN

CHINA :- Macao, A. A. DA CRUZ. Amoy, N. MOALLE & Co., LIMITED. Foothow, HEDER & Co. Munchas, LANE, CRAW-FORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yukehama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KRLLT & Co.

## Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND...... \$ 6,300,000. water, at the N.W. entrance, to BONHAM STRAIT; her Masts showing about 50 feet RESERVE LIABILITY OF \$ 810,000,000. PROPTORS ........ Gutzlaff bearing N.W. & W. distant 10 miles.

COURT OF DIRECTORS: T. E. DAVIES, Esq. -- Chairman. H. Horrius, Esq. - Deputy Chairman. James J. Bell Irving, | Alex. McConschie, Q. J. Holliday, Esq. J. S Moses, Esq. Carl Jantzen, Esq. D. R. Sassoon, Esq. Julius Kramer, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER:

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HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Account at the rate of per cent, per annum on the daily balance up to \$200,000. On Fixed Deposits.

For 6 months 34 per cent. per annum. \$200,000. on Bums in excess of \$200,000. HONGKONG-INTEREST CHARGED.

6 % on LOANS against Shares with full 6% on Advances against Goods in neutral 7 % on Current Account Overdrafts.

7.% on Advances against Goods in private | THE Ordinary Annual General MEET.

1571 p.m., on MONDAY, 31st May, 1892, for 1 Hongkong, May 13, 1892. HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on PIXED DEPOSIT at 41 PER CENT. per

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1891. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL,....£1,000,000 SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL .....£ 500,000. HEAD OFFICE HONGKONG.

Court of Directors. CHOW TUNG SHANG D. GILLIES, Esq. CRANKITSHAN, Esq. Esq. W. WOTTON, Esq. KWAN HOL URVEN, Esq. Chief Manager. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Advisory Committee in London. THOMAS CARMICHAEL, Esq., Mesare Deut, Palmer & Co. JOHN BUTTERY, Esq., Messre John Buttery & Co. C. B. STULET WORTLEY, Esq., M.P. for Hallam.

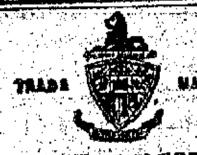
Bankers. THE ALLIANCE BANK, LINITED. THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

Yekohama-D. FRISER, Manager. Shanghai C. J. GALLOWAY, Manager.

Amoy - J. ANDERHON, Manager. Current Accounts opened. Money received on Deposit. Drafts issued. Bills purchased and collected. Advances made ou securities or goods in neutral godowns. Usual Bank Agency business undertaken.

Interest for 12 months Fixed 5 %. 6 do. do. 4 %. 3 do. do. 3 % Current Accounts For rates of Interest for other periods

apply to the MANAGER. Hopgkong, May 18, 1892.



ALDBECK MACGREGOR Wine and Spirit Merchants, 13, Queen's ROAD. Hongkoog, August 18, 1891.

號九十月五年二十九百八千一英

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1892.

Business Notices.

metablished

ANDPUGGAREES

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

TARIFF UNTIL FURTHER couples) occupying one room ...... Board and Lodging by the week (1 person)... 30.00. do. (for married ) couples) occupying one room .....

Extra Bedroom by the day 2.50. month... 45.00. Bed and Breakfast ...... 2.50. Children by special arrangement.

40, Queen's Road Central, over the Hongkong Dispensary, or to the MARAGER, MOUNT JOHN A. JUPP, Secretary. AUSTIN HOTEL.

ROBERT

LARGE SELECTION OF WHITE AND STRIPE FLANNELS SERGES.

TROPICAL TWEEDS, HOMESPUNS AND COATINGS. TERAI HATS (ALL COLORS) AND SUN HATS. BOOTS AND SHOE! WATERPROOF COATS AND UMBRELLAS.

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INPANTS' WASHING SUN HATS and BONNETS. NEW SPECIALITIES in MORNING WRAPPERS and TEA GOWNS. W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 23, 1892

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JOSEPH DAWSON EXPORT

MANUFACTURERS, 23, London Wall, London,-Factory, Northampton.

Intimations.

THE 'MO' STEAMSHIP LINE. HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

TIME TABLE (REVISED). THE Company's Screw Steamship KWONG MO. Applications for Shares in the New Issue | Captain Christian, will Rug to and from will be received by the Hongkong and MACAO as under:

Leave Hongkong, Arrive Leave Arrive West Point Wharf, Macao, Macao, Hangkong SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION IN HOUZkong, from the 1st to the 4th day of June 1.30 - 5.30pext, both days inclusive, and the whole Monday, ..... A.M. NOON. P.M. P.M. amount applied for will be payable on TUESDAY, ...... WEDNESDAY, .... The Transfer BOOKS of the Company THURSDAY, ..... 11 will be OLOSED from the 1st to the 40 FRIDAY ........

Second-class, 60 cents | Deck, 40 cents.

ly moderate rates.

Meals and Liquors provided on board.

for the convenience of Passengers, at strict.

Passage Tickets may be had on board.

Hongkong, April 26, 1892

at Kowloon; Victoria View.

Hongtong, July 13, 1801.

For Freight, Passage or further Particu-

PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE.

ARS. FALCONER has VACANOIES

IVI for GENTLEMEN RESIDENT BOARDERS.

SULKEE CHAN.

No. 53, Bonkan Strand West.

day of June next, both days inclusive. SATURDAY, .... The present paid up Capital of the Com-SUNDAY.\* ..... pany, is \$500,000 divided into 50,000 Shares \* SPECIAL EXCURSION RATES will of \$10 each, and the New Laue is required charged for the Round Trip to MACAO and to increase the Capital of the Company to back when sufficient inducement offers on \$500,000 divided into 60,000 Shares of \$10 SUNDAYS, and the time of departure from The whole of the Premium received from Macao will then be altered to suit pleasure the New Issue will be placed to the credit of | parties. FARES :- First-class. \$1.50 each way

the Permanent Reserve Fund. The last Dividend paid by the Company was on the 5th November, 1891, being an Interim Dividend at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum on account of that year, and the Final Dividend for 1891 will be payable in May next. The New Issue will rank for the Interim Dividend to be declared in November next on account of 1892. Forms of Application for the New Issue

can be obtained at the Company's OFFICES. over the Hongkong Dispensory or at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANK. By Order,

A. H. MANCELL.

intimations.

NOW OPEN and will be run in conjunction with their Horel in Queen's Road, thus enabling them to offer special inducements to Visitors and Residents. The HOTEL has been thoroughly Renovated, Redecorated and Refurnished. A NEW and HANDSOME BAR has been

OHOPS, STEAKS, &o., can be served at any hour. For full Particulars as to Rates, &c.,

WING HONG,

A-LARGE STOCK OF MANOY FLANNELS, SERGES, SCOTCH TWEEDS, CHINESE SILKS. All Kinds of WINTER WOOLEN CLOTHS on hand,

AND PELLING AT LOWEST PRICES, TEX BEST TAILOR WORK AND PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED.

Notices of Firms.

LONGKONG CORINTHIAN SAILING MAR. FRANK SMYTH has This Day

THERE will be a General MEETING of the VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB, on FRIDAY, 20th Instant, at 6 p.m. F. LINDSAY LLOYD, R.E.

Intimations.

Hon. Sec., H.K.C.S.C. Hongkong, May 17, 1892 BONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

I ONG RANGE Subscription CUP and SPOON Compatition, on SATUR-DAY, 21st Instant, at 2.45 p.m. Ranges-700 and 800 yards. ED. ROBINSON,

Hongkong, May 16, 1892. In the Matter of the Companies' Ordinance

In the Matter of THE LABUK PLANT-ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Oreditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 10th DAY OF dresses and the Particulars of their DEBTS or CLAIMS, and the Names and Addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to A. W. WAL-KINSHAW and J. H. COX, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, the Liquid TORS of the said Company, and if so required by Notice in writing from the said Liquidators are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said D bts or Claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default the cof they will be excluded from the benefit of any Distribution made before such Dobts are proved. Dated this 17th day of May, 1892.

WOTTON & DEACON. Solicitors to the above-named Liquidators. .

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Uhrunameter, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. TAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL.

INSTRUMENTS. VOICELANDER'S CELEBRATED BINGUL LARS AND TELESCOPES. RITORIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPARSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

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ANTI-COCKROACH VARNISH books by Cockrosches without injury subject to ront, and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or effectually prevents the destruction of the objectionable sticky appearance common with Chinese Varnishes. SUN GLASSES AND PROTECTORS

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Wills' Fire Fly-Virginia Brights. TOBACCOS: - Three Castles - Briato Bird's Kys-Golden Cloud-Richmond Mixture-Richmond Gem Curly Cut-Happy Thought-Dollar Brand-Star Mixture-G Iden Eagle-Capatan Navy

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THE MIKE COAL MINING COMPANY.

THE MIKE COAL is a bituminous Coal of dark reddish colour. For

Steam purposes, it has been pronounced to DO THE BEST AND THE MOST ECONOMICAL OF ALL THE TAPANESE COALS. Its export is increasing yearly, and the opinions expressed by several of THE LAMBET REGULAR CONSUMERS are in testimony of the excellent qualities of THIS

ATTENTION is called to the following ADVANIAGES to Shipowners and Captains, who Coal their Bunkers direct from the Undersigned :--Freshness of the Coal.

Freedom from impurities. Supply in any quantity on shortest notice. Quick de-patch. Best of weight, etc., etc. MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA, Sole Agents.

Hanglang, April 4, 1892. SAILOR'S HOME. A NY CEST-Off CLOTHING BOOKS,

A PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point. Address: Care of SUPERINTENDENT.

Insurances. THE SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.

ASSETS OVER \$3,000,000.00. DOLICIES absolutely non-foriestable. No restrictions as to Residence or Rates of Premia low.

Policies issued on all approved Forms. For further Particulars, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agenta for Hongkory.

日三十月四年辰壬

NOTICE.

TAKEN OVER CHARGE of our BUSINESS of the above Club in the GYMNASIUM in Hongkong, and will Sien our Firm's Name per Procuration. W. HEWETT & Op.

> NOTIOE. THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA.

Hongkoug, May 18, 1892.

HAVE This Day been appointed MANAGER of the HONGKONG BRANCH of the above-named Firm. Y. FUKUHARA.

Nutices to Consignees. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS

Hongkong, May 10, 1892.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Glenorchy, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that

July, 1892, to send their Names and Ad. their Goods with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon WHARP AND GODOWS COMPANY, LIMITED, at Kuwloon, whence delivery may be ob-Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all

Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 31st Instant; otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, May 18, 1892.

STEAMSHIP BAGHALIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ax Steamships Ebre and Douro, from Havre ex S.S. Douro, and from Bordenux ex 8.S. Egriand des Verques and Verbeckmuis, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed and stored at

their risk at the Hondrone & Kowloon WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consigneer before 6 p.ni. To-DAY (Tuesday), the 17th

Instant, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigued by the Undersigued. Goods remaining unclaimed after WED-NESDAY, the 25th Inst., at Noon, will be

will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined on Wednesday, the 25th Instant, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Agent. Hongkeng, May 17, 1892.

To Let. TO LET. THE FIRST FLOOR of the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON

& CHINA; EUITAble as OFFICES. For Terms, apply to THE BANK. Hongkong, May 11, 1892.

HOUSE in KRUISFORD TERRACE, A KOWLOOM.

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, May 1, 1892.

TO LET. NO. 4. HOLLYWOOD ROLD. TUSUULUM, MAGAZINE GAP. Nos. 2, 4 and 10, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, May 16, 1892. TO LET.

THE DEN." FURNISHED (for Summer . Montha). "TUSCULUM," at MAGAZINE GAP. FIRST FLOOR, No. 1, Bous Buildings. GODOWN (under Messrs. DoveLAS APRAIR & Co. s Offices). GODOWN, No. 14, BLUE BUILDINGS. "STILLINGFLETE,"- THE ALBANY. SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES, at MAGAZINE

of OLD BALLEY). Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST

MENT & AGENCY Co., LAD.

Hongkong, May 4, 1892. For Sale.

FOR SALE. SMALL Invoice of the Well-know G. H. MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, In Cases of 1 doz. quarts at \$26 per case. 2 , pinis , \$27 do. SHEWAN & Co.,

BALL PROGRAMMES FOR SALE.

Hongkong, May 16, 1892.

Agents.

IN NEW SHADES AND PATTERNS.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE, 5, WYNDRAN STREET.

Steamers. MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAL, KOBE, AND YOKOHAMA,

The Steamship will be despatched as above on or about SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, May 14, 1892,

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship Glamorganshire. despatched as above on or about SATURDAY, the 21st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, May 16, 1892.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship Capt. A. G. HAMILTON, R. N. R., will be despatch-

ed for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 17, 1892.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. The Steamship Breconshire.

Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 25th Instant. instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 11, 1892. STRAM TO SHANGHAL

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Robitta, Lptain J. F. JEPHSON, will have quick des, atch for the above port after her arrival here with the ontward

H. H. JOSEPH. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office," Hongkong, May 16, 1892.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co. e

Steamship Verona, Captain F. H. Seywoun, wil. leave for the above places on SATUR-DAY, the 28th Instant, at Daylight. H. H. JOSEPH.

Buper intendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hougkong, May 16, 1892.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship Wm. J. Rotch BRAY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, April 29, 1892.

Mails.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID. BRINDISI, GENOA, NTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS:

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GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS. THE COMPANY'S STRANGERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

No. 2 and 24, STAUNION STREET (corner N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

> ON SUNDAY, the 20th day of May, 1892, at 10 a.m., the Company's S.S. BAYERN, Captain H. ENGELBART, WITH MAILS, PASSENUERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this port as above, miling at Genoa. Shipping Orders will be granted till o p.m. on the 27th May, Cargo will be

received on board until 1 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 10 a.m. on the 28th May. (Parcels are not to be sent on board ; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents of Packages is required.

The Steamer has spleudid Accommodador and carries a Doctor and Stewardsan. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hougkong, May 6, 1892.

WASHING BOOKS. (In English prid Charese.) of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now

TATASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use be had at this Office, -- Price, \$1 each. CHIEF MITT OFFICE

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH. Shipping.

Hongkong, May 19, 1892.

1,400 FRET ABOVE SEA LEVEL. Telegraphic address "EXCRLSIOR," Hongkong, TELEPHONE No. 35. NOTICE AND SUBJECT TO ACCOMMODATION BEING Board and Lodging by the day (1 person)..... 5 5.00. Sitting room by the day... \$ 3.00.

Board and Lodging by the month (1 person) 90.03. do. (for married | 135.00 

Hongkong, May 1, 1892.

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Opened on the Basement, while a New BAR and BILLIARD ROUM has been erected on the main floor.

TAILOR, DRAPER & OUTFITTER. Just REDEIVED

Please call in and try. 68, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

apply to " VICTORIA HOTEL. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Lessees. Hongkoug, May 7, 1892.

Uniformity of quality.

23rd February, 1892.

Thos. . Energia left Singapore on May 14,

May 20.

and may be expected here on or about

### Mails. NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILROAD COMPANIES. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGRONG: 1892. (SUBJECT TO ALTERITION). Phra Nang ..... | Saturday | May 21. Batarday | June 11. A STEAMER..... | Saturday | July 2. A STEAMER ..... | Saturday | July 23. Parthia ..... Saturday | August 13. A STEAMER..... | SECURDARY | September 3. AND THEREAFTER THE PERMANENT BERVICE OF THE COMPANY'S REGULAR STEAMERS. THE S. S. PHRA NANG, Captain W. H. WATTON, sailing at Noon, on SATURDAY, the 21st May, will proceed to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, vid NAGASAKI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA. Through Bills of Lading insued to Japan, Pracific Coast Points, and to Canadian and. United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The General Agent Hongkong, May 19, 1892. Northern Pacific Railroad Tacoma Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 p.m., on the day previous to sailing. For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, May 19, 1892. Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. PROTOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Gaelic ...... SATURDAY, May 21. Belgio......Tuesday, June 14. Oceanic ......THURSDAY, July 7. THE Steamship GAELIC will

Yokohama, on SATURDAY, 21st May/ at 1 p.m., connection being made at You. hama with Steamers from Shanghai and be returned. Japan Ports. RATES OF PASSAGE. FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault New Westminster, Port Town >\$225,00 send, Seattle, Tacoma, Port-To Liverpool and London .....\$325.00 To Havee and Hamburg ....... \$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng. land, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. RATES OF PASSAGE TO OVERLAND CITIES, FIRST CLASS.

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Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

Return Tickets. -First Class. - Prepaid return tickets to San Francisco will be issued at following rates :-4 months .....\$337.50

Time is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarkation at San Francisco. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Karope. All Percel Packages should be marked to

address in full; and same will be received lay the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the et previous to sailing. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the

Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central. J. S. VAN BUREN,

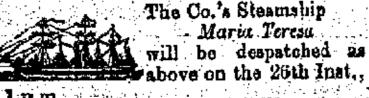
Hongkong, April 28, 1892.

# To-day's Advertisements.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG,

COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, VENICE, FIUME AND TRIESTE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-OUTIA, MADRAS, PÉRSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.)



Cargo will not be received on board after 3 p.ni. pelor to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, May 18, 1892.

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

TOK-KROW, or SIAMESE FOOTBALL. MIHE SIAMESE CHAMPION

TOK-KROW PLAYERS,

Who have performed before ... HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF STAM, ... H.R.H. THE CZAREWITCH, H.R.H. PRINCE USCAR OF SWEDEN, B.R.H. THE DUKE OF MEGELENBURG, H.R.H. THE DUKE OF GHOA.

Will Give ONE of their MARVELLOUS PERPORMANCES.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON. on the

NEW RECLAIMED GROUND (opposite WEST | OINT GODOWNS), commencing at 4.30.

Admission :- \$1 (Chairs) and Fifty Cents. F. SOLUMON, Maisager.

WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACT.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

HONGKONG ROYAL ENGINEER DISTRICT

INENDERS are required for the PER I FORMANCE of such WORKS and REPAIRS and the SUPPLY of such BUILDING MATERIALS as may be ordered for WAR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS and Property in the above District for a period of Two Years and Nine Months from orincipal places of Europe. the lar July, 1892, to 31st Masck, 1895, Noon

Forms of Tender with Conditions of Conformation can be obtained on application to the Surveyor, Royal Engineer Office, Queen's Road, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily up to the 31st May,

despatched for San Francisco, via 1892. A payment of \$1.75 for the Schedules of Prices will be required. This sum will not The Schedules with Conditions of Con-

tract may be seen without payment at the Royal Engineer Office up to the 31st May, Candidates tendering are requested to send Testimonials of competency with their

Application for Schedules. Tenders are to be delivered at the Com-MISSARIAT OFFICES, by 12 o'clock Noon, on FRIDAY, the 3rd day of June, 1892, addressed to the DEPUTY ASSISTANT ADJUT-ANT GENERAL (B), and marked on the outside 'Tendera for Artificers Works' The Secretary of State for War does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any

IEAD QUARTER OFFICE, Oneerea Read. 16th May, 1892.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship Capt. BATHUEST, will be ateliad for the **shore**. Ports on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.," General Managers. Hongkong, May 19, 1892.

FOR NAGASAKI, The Steamship

Capt. Christensen, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 21st Inst., at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

-GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, May 19, 1892.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

STEAM FOR HOIHOW & HAIPHONG. (Taking Passengers and Cargo for TOURANE & QUINHON.) The Co.'s Steamship Haiphong,

Captain Galletti, will leave for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 22nd Inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, May 19, 1892.

STRAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. (Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Captain F. Strok, will leave for the above places on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, at Noon.

H, H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co. s Other, Hongkong, May 19, 1692.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA: The Co.'s Steamship Hiroshima Muru,
Capt. J. H. Pyng, will
be despatched for the

above Ports on THURSDAY, the 26th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 19, 1892. AMENDED NOTICE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

JAMESON, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on or about THURSDAY. the 26th Instant, instead of as previously advertised.

For Breight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 18, 1892.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Destinutto. FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO. CHEFOO. NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Nestor.

Capt Thomrson, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 20th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to autterfield & Swiek. Hongkong, May 19, 1892.

NOTIOE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGEILLES MARTTIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANUAIS STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, ADEN, SURZ, PORT SAID. MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA

MARSEILLE:, AND PORTS DE BRAZIL AND LA PLATA;

LONDON, HAVRE AND BURDEAUX. IN WEDNESDAY, the 1st June, 1392, at Noon, the Company's S.S. YANGTSE, Commandant Schmitz, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPEULE and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the Shipping Orders will be granted till

Cargo will be received on board until Forms of Tender with Conditions of Con-tract, Schedules of Prices and further in-th. 31st May, 1892. (Parcels are not to be sent on poard; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hougkong, May 19 1892. Not Responsible for Debts.

Noither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Baron B. de S. Fern. Mr W. Smith Grew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Honghong Harbour :-CHARMER, American ship, Capt. J. W. Holmes. - Jardine, Matheson & Co. EDWARD MAY, American barque, Capt. Chas. McClure. - Captain.

OMEOA, British barque, Captain A. V. Brown, -Master. WANDERING JEW, Am rican ship, Capt. D. C. Nichols.-Order.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA,

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22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. May 19 :-Choysang, British str., from Whampon.

Formosa, British steamer, 674, Bathurst, Tameni May 15, Amoy 16, and Swatow 18, General. - Douglas STRAMSHIP Co. Sumer, British str., 1,619 H. F. Holt, Saigon May 15, Rice and Paddy .- Dodwell,

CARLILL & Co. Presto, German steamer, 655. J. Jessen. Touron May 17, General, -Siemssen & Co. Che'ydra, British steamer, 1 975, Gould Kutchinotzu May 13, Coal -- MITSI BUSSAN KAISHIA

DEPARTURES. \_May 19 :--Edward May, for Manila. Ask, for Haiphong. Agamemnon, for Amoy and Shanghai. Haitan, for Chast Ports. Tetartos, for Moji.

Chou Fa, for Amoy. OLEARED Wuotan, for Saigon. Nestor, for Shanghai. Apochie, for Hongay. Sichan, for Saigon.

PASSENGERS. ARRITED.

Per Formosa, from Coast Ports, Rev. an Mrs Ross and 2 ch idren. Per Nusser, from Saigon, 80 Chinese. Per Presto, from Tour n, 2 Chinese. DEPARTED.

Per Saghalien, from Hongkone: for Shanghai, Mrs Fong Kee, Messrs W. J. P. Geimani, A. Buschmann, H J. Such. Ibuki, J. Tachi Fri and M. R. kushima; sorosa tham. Covers containing Bank 78; for Yokohama, Mr and Mrs E. Macintosh, Notes, &c. should be registered.

Jearels Alvertised at Loading. Date v Leaving.

Norddeutscher Lloyd. May 29, at 10 a.m. Bremen & Ports of Call Bayern (s) ... Messageries Maritimes May 22, at noon. Hollow and Haiphong Haiphong (s) ... Goo. R. Stevent & Co. May 26. Kobé and Yokohama. Hiroshima Maru (8)... P. & O. S. N. Co ... May 20, at woon. Lindon & Portio Call Surat (8) Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About May 25. L'don, H'bg, A'wp, &c. Brecoushire (a) . Messageries Maritime June 1, at noon. Ma 40 105, v. Sargon Yangtse (8) ...... Geo. R. Stevans & Co. May 21, at 2 p.m. Nagasaki,..... D.cima (s).... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About May 21. Neaki, Kobe & Y'ham | Glamorganshire (a). Dodwoll, Carlill & Co. About May 26. New York, v. Sunz Canad Port Adelaids (s) ... U. & C. S. S. Co .... May 21, or 1 p.m. S Francisco, v. Jap in Gaulto (8). ...... Paortio Mail S. S. Co. June 2, at Lpm. S Francisco v. J. a China (8)..... Shewon & Co...... Quick despatch. Butterfield & Swire... May 20, at daylight Sau Francisco ..... Wm. J. Rotch ..... Shanghai ...... Nestor (8)..... P. & O. S. N. Uo..... Quick despatch. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. May 21, at o p.m. Shanghai, Kobe &Y'ma Eaergia (s)..... D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. May 24, at noon.
P. & O. S. N. Co., May 26, at noon.
Douglas Lapraik & Co. May 21, at 2 p.m. S'poro, Penning & Ote Japan (8)...... Straits and Bombay ... (Gwalior (8) ..... Swatow, Am 1 & T'su Formosa (8)..... D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. M.y 26, at 1 p.m. Triesto, &c...... Maria Peresa (6).... Canadian P'ho R. Co. May 28, atmoon. Vanoruver (B.O. & Empress of Japan (8). Nor, P'fic S. & R. Con May 21, at moon. Victoria (B. 1), &c.... Phra Nang (8)......

Vessels

Mr C. Gunther, Mr C. Cournaire, and Mrs For Shanghai : from Murseilles, Mr Flayelle ; from onigon, Mesers Frochat, Boulain, Gras, Vindry, Serret, Lutavere, Aubertus, Dambe, Bertrand, Librude, Gillamue, Delaporter Regiano Ourdier, Brandizi and Sarlot. For Yoko. hama : from Marseilles, Mr T. Baba ; from Singapore, Mr. Highet, and I Chinese; from Ssigon, Mr and Mrs Vareilles:

TO DEPART. Per Japan, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, Per Witolan, for Saigon, 60 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Formosa reports From Tameui to Amoy, a rong N.E. winds and high sea; weather fine .. Amoy to Swa: tow, moderate winds and sea; with light rain; thence to port, light variable winds and time clear weather. Steamers in Amoy, Whampon, Meef o and Hiroshima Maru Steamers in Swatow, Kwongsang and Fushiki

The British steamer Sussex reports ; Left Cape St. James 10 a.m., with light. airs and calm to Paracels; from Paracels to port, experienced strong N.E. winds and clear weather. The British steamer Chelydra reports

Hal cloudy weather, with heavy rain throughout, and fresh N.E. breeze.

VICTORIA HOTEL VISITORS' LIST. 904 Mr H. Charpantice Mr Menagor Mr D. D. Cursetjee Mr & Mrs Fornandes | The Mail closes at 5 P.M. A Supplementary Mencres Me M. Escurarage . Mr C. de Monteys Mrs Farmer Viscount & Viscoun-Capt. A. Murray toss B. de S. Forn-Capt. Geo.-B. Pallett Mr W. H. Smith Mester L. de S. Fern-Mr Bolomon

Mr Solomon, Jr. Mr John Stewart Cant. A. Getley Capt. T. Hillebrandt Mr Geo. Stewart Mr H. J. Such Mr Morton Jones Mr and Mrs Valdes Mr E. B. Jurey Mrs Wilson Mr. V. Kolod Mr G. Wright Mr W. Luird:

MOUNT AUSTIN HOPEL LIST OF VISITORS. Mrs George, Arm Mrs W. S. Inglis and

children Mr Charles C. Malach Miss Armstrong Mr & Mrs E. V. Bre-Lieut. S. R. Oliver Mr Herbert Ogilvie Mr J. H. Perry Mrs Al-xander Cook Mr Price Mr A G. Dowler Mr A. Ross Hon. W. M. GoodmanMr Taylor Mr and Mrs GuinnessMr and Mrs J. A.

Mr Sars Hole Thomson EXPORT CARGOES. Per S. S. Oanfa, sailed 10th May :- For London, 1,949 pkgs. Tea, containing 40,929 Pos. Congou, and 183 pkgs. Tea (particulars unknown), 472 bales Waste Silk, 313 pkgs. Canes, 179 cases Chinaware, 192 pkgs. Preserves, 90 cases Bristles, 82 rolls Matting, serves, 90 cases Bristles, 82 rolls Matting, 51 casks Blackwoodware, 14 casks Digars, 13 pkgs Personal Effects, 7 cases Silk Piece Goods, 5 pkgs. Feathers and 10 pkgs.

Per S. S. Mulacoa, sailed 17th May :-For Buenos Ayres, 425 m/pkgs. Tes and cases Sundries : for London, 700 bales Hemp from Manila, 2,276 m/boxes Tes from Foochow, 195 bales Waste Bilk, 3 cases Silk Piece Goods, 19 cases Chinaware, 20 Fans, 8 pkgs. Sundries, 3,340 boxes Tex, containing 70,140 ths. Congou.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

790 | For KOBE & YOKORAMA. --Per Milke Maru, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 20th inst. For SHANGHAL .-Per Choysang, at 2.30 p.m., on Friday, the 20th inst. Per Glenorchy, at 5 p.m., in Friday, the 20th inst. For KUTCHINOTZU.-

Per Charters Tower, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, the 20th inst. For MANTUNG .--Per Lennox, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 20th inst: For NAGASARI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA

VICTORIA, B.C., AND TACOMA WASII.— Per Phra Nang, at 11,30 a.m., on Saturday, the 21st inst. For SWATOW & BANGKOK .--Per Phra Chula Chom Klao, at 9.30 a.m.,

on Tuesday, the 24th inst. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET -The United States Mail Packet Gaelic will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, with Mails for Japan, Sun Francisco, the United States. Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :-

0 15 P.M. Registry ceases. 0.30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Correspendence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

PEAR DELIVERY .- Letters, &c., will be delivered by the 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams only, Correspondence and Parcels Tursbay, May 24:for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11 30 a.m. or 3 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of Departuce. With regard to letters from the Peak additional Letter Boxes have been affixed to Police Boxes at Magazine Gap. by Peak Church, and at Mount Kellet, Marling, H. T. Cobon, J. Mitchell, E. H. which will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. Thursday, M.y 26 :-Local Rates will be charged. No Sonday Deskin, Mrs Deskin, Mr O. Soderberg, and | delivery. Senders are requested to cancel Y. Kibita; for Kobe, Mesers Wong, R. their Stamps by writing the word Stamped

Yhama, v. N'ki & Kobe Verona (8)...... P. & O. S. N. O)...... May 28, at daylight POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For STRAITS, COLOMBO & BOMBAY Per Maria Teresa, art 12.30 p.m. on Thursday, the 26th inst For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Verona, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 27th inst. Eur SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

the 24th inst. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Surut wil be despatched on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, oid Brindist; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Bur-

mah, Coylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails. &c.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. -The German Contract Packet Bayern will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 28th May, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Maita, &c., &c. Registry ceases at 4 P.M.

29th May, at 9 a.m. HOURS OF CLOSING THE

Mail will be closed on Sunday, the

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office SCOTCH WHISKY. will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. Posting of Prices Current and Circulars coases.

(Prices Ourrent and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M. Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. -- Mail closes. AS-LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late Quotations. Hongkong, May 19, 1892. OPIUM-New Patua, cash, ... 555 New Benares, cash, 525 cash. ----Old ,, cash, — New Malwa crodit, 510 Allowance, Catties, 3/4 Old Malwa, credit,: 520/60 Aliowance, Catties, 1/3 Persian, Oily, cash, -Allowance, Cattles -Persian, Paper tied -Allowance, Catties, -

Honokono, May 19. On Lendon --Bank, Wire. On demand. 30 days sight, 4 months sight, Credits. 4 , Documentary, 4 months sight, On Paris-On demand. Credits, 4 months' sight, On Berlin-Demand ... ... On New York-On demand, ... Credits, 60 days' sight, On Bombayo Calcutta-On Shanghai-On demand. 30 days' sight, private paper, Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tail) Surereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$ 6.97 Temperature. (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s

Exchange.

Premises, Queen's Road.) BAROMETER- 9 A.M ... 29.97 1 P.M. ... 29.92 4 P.M. 29.87 THERMOMETER-9 A.M.... 75 1 P.M.... 78 4 P.M.... 70 Do. (Wet bulb) U A.M. 64 Do. 1 P.M. 67 Do. 4 P.M. 70 Do, Maximum ... 79 Do. Minimum over night 72

General Memoranda. SATURDAY, May 21 :---2,45 p.m. - Competition of the Hongkong · Rifle Association. 4.89 p.m .- Performance at opposite West Polut Godowns. MONDAY, May 23:-9 p.m. - Meeting of Victoria Lodge. 5.30 p.m. - Meeting of Zetland Lodge. 0 p.m. - Convocation of Victoria Chapter. Goods per Glenorchy undelivered after this date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, May 25:-Goods por Steamer Saghalien unclaimed after Noon subject to rent. 9 p.m .- Meeting of Victoria Preceptory. FRIDAY, May 27 3 p.m. Meeting of Shareholders of A. 8. Watson & Co., Ltd., at Hongkong Dispensary.

FOR TO-MORROW MEGLUT. Shipping. Daylight, - Nestor leaves for Shanghai. 7.30 a. m. - Kwong Mo leaves for Macao. Meeting.

6 p.m. - Meeting of H.K. Corinthian Sailing Club in Gympasium of V.R.C.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LINITED. WINES AND SPIRITS IN E invite attention to the following VV Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for the money.

London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at moderate In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit want d, and initial letter for quality desired. PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

Casc. Per Bot. A Alto Doure, good quality, Green Capsula \$10 \$1.00 B Vintago, superior quality, Red Capsuls ..... 12 1.10 G Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Soul Cap. D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet

Per doz.

O panto (Old Bottled) .... 18 1.50 SHERRIES. A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capau e..... B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Cap-7.50 0.75 O Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule 10

CC Superior Old Dry Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule..... 10 D Very Superior Old l'ale Dry; choice old Wine. White Seal Capsule..... 12 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capanile (Old

1 doz. CLARETS. A Superior Breakfast Claret, B St. Estephe. Red Capsule 4.50 O St. Julien, Red Cap-ule D La Rose, Red Capsule ... 11 12.00 MADEIRA, HOCK & CHAMPAGNES.

Full particulars of the various Brands in stock on application. Per don A Honnessy's Old Pale, Red Capsu e ......... B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule ..... C Very Old Liqueur Cognac, Red Capsule ...... D Hermessy's Finest Very Old Liquour Coynac, 1872

Vintage Red Capsule ... 30 A Thorne's Blend, White B Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blanc, Blue Lapsule, with Name and Trade Mark,.... C Watson's Aberlour-Glenlivet, Red Capatilo, with Name and Trade Mark ..... D Watson's H K D Bland of

the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Cap-E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold 

TRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old Green Capsule ..... B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capaule ........ 10 C John Jameson's Very Fine Old. Green Capsule..... 12 GENUINE BOURSON WHISHY. fine old, Red Capsule, with Name ..... 10

A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-B Fine Unswestened, White C Fine A. V. H. Genera ..... 5 26 0.50 Finest Old Jamaica, Vio-

lot Capatrio 12 1.00 Good Leeward Island ... \$1.00 per Gal. LIQUEURS. Benedictine, Maraschino Quracon, Heering's Chevry Cordial Chartreuse, Dr. Siegert's Augustura Bitters, &c. PRIORS ON APPLICATION.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, February 4, 1894. MARRIAGE.

Chapel, Chinking, by the Rev. R. T. Bryan, the Rev. James E. Bran to Mrs. L. A. DEVAULT. The publication of this issue commenced

The China Ituil. HONGRONG, THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1892. LOCAL AND GENERAL PASSED SURE CARAL OUTWARD BOUND : - Coringa, April

Strathlyon, Mascoire, 6 . Olive Branch 19; Port Philip, 22; Prometheus, 29. Ni be, Tuksany, Glengyle May 3; Camelot, Caledonien, Diomed, 10; HOMEWARD BOURN :- Bencenue, Florida, April 1 : Ancheses, 8 : Riversdele, 22 Glenorthey, Glenlyon, Palinurus, 10

Struthesk, Berenice, Achilles, 13.

The P. & O. steamer Robilla, with the Eng. LISH MAIL of April 22, loft Singapore on Monday, the 16th May, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the 22nd May, This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on March 17. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s. s. Chine, with the

on or about Sunday, May 22. AMERICAN MAIL, left San Francisco on

The D. D. R. s. a. Lydia, from Hamburg, left Singapore on May 14, and may be expected here on or about May 20. The s. s. Glamorganshire left Singapore on May 15, and may be expected here on or about May 21. The s. a. Wingsting, from Straits and Calcutta, left Singapore for this port on

May 15, and may be expected here on or about May 21. The P. and O. a. s. Canton left Singapore for this port on May 16, and may be expected here on or about May 29. The same being specially selected by our The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Venetic left Singapore for this port on May 17, and may be expected here on or about

China Mutual Co. a str. Nangchow, from London and Liverpool, left Sin-gapore for this port on May 18, and may be expected here on or about May

The N. G. I. s. s. Bisagno left Bombey for this port on May 17, and may be expeoted here on or about June 5. The P. and O. a. s. Formosa left London for this port on a pril 30. The P. & O. Co.'s E. S. Shanghai left Lon-

don for this port on May 7. Massas Arphold, Karberg & Co. inform us that the China Mutual Steam Navigation Company's steamship Ningchou from London and Liverpool, left Singapore for this port yesterday, and may be expected here on or about the 24th inst.

1.00. As will be seen from an advertisement. Hongkong will have an opportunity on Se-1.00 turday afternoon to witness on entirely novel form of entertainment, at West Point, when a troupe of Tok-Krow players, brought here from Siam by Mr F. Solomon, will give an exhibition of their skill in this game, which, we understand, is peculiar to Per Case. Per Case. the Land of the White Elephant. Tokkrow is described as a kind of football, but to what extent it resembles that lively game we are unable to say. One very marked difference, however, is that in Pok krow the ball is not allowed to touch the ground, but is kept in the air all the time by the players, who may touch it with any part of the body except the hands. A remarkable exhibition of skill is promised, and no doubt mere curiosity will induce a large number of people to go and see the

> WE have received from Mesers Raphael Tuck and Sons, the well-known line art publishers, an advance copy of the facsimile of 'The Queen's Letter to the Na-0.75 tion, which they have the honour of publishing by Her. Majesty's sommand. The first edition has been fixed at 100,000, 0.75 and a second edition is already being prepared. The production is worthy of the reputation of the eminent firm to whom it has been entrusted, whose services and those of their entire staff have been sondered free in this national cause. The entire profits realised by the sale of the fac-simile letter will be handed to charities 1.10 selected by Her Majesty, the Gordon Boys' Home being the principal partici-0.75 pant. In the fee simile the Queen's won-1.00 derfully clear and firm handwriting has been carefully raproduced by photographic process. The beautiful symbolic border is by Mc E. J. Poynter, the eminent Royal 1.00 Academician, and is composed of an architectural framework with thirteen allegori-0.40 cal figures supporting a panel on which the Queen's letter is displayed. The facsimile is intended for framing, and it deserves to find a place on the walls of every dwelling in Her Majesty's wide

> > At the extraordinery general meeting of

the Imuris Mines Co. Lt. held last month

the Chairman (My James Whittall) in roferring to the unsatisfactory state of the company's affairs said that with £30,000 liabilities to friends interested in the welfare of the mines, and that without any security beyond an ordinary debt, it was On Friday, 22ud April, at the Baptist impossible to go farther without an appeal to the sharoholders. He assured them, however, that he saw no reason whatever alter his cpinion as to the value of the property, but felt confident good amends would yet be made to the disrelation for ell the disappointments and sagethies of the past. He reminded them the fallway had proved a manel more expensive protestaking. £20,000 having been allowed for its construction, while it actually cost £44,900. Without the knowledge of the diseators Mr Farrell had dismissed the angineer in charge of the works and appointed in his place a grout incompetent person, who altered all the original plans on the score of aconomy. After referring to the damage subsequently done to the works by rain, and the disappointment as regarde the rost of the mill, Mr Whitfall went on to say he felt sanguine Clyde Electra May 8; Bellerophors, that as they gained experience the returns of the mill would greatly improve, but all the sume it was quite evident that the better class ones could not be treated by concentration, and to do justice coincibing must also be adopted. He assured the shareholders that if they fresponded to the appeal now made-and it would in his opinion be folly to sacrifice the good prospects before them nothing would be Yokohama on Tuesday, May 17, at done in erecting furnaces without positive daylight, and may be expected here proof of success. On asking them for £50,000 he trusted it would not be necessary The O. & O. Co.'s a. s. Belgic, with the to call up that amount, and he could pro-10th May, for Hongkong, vic. Yoko- mise them that so far as their present liabilities were concerned, arrangements could The R. M. S. Empress of China left Van- be made to allow a considerable pertion of conver for this port via Yokohama. It if necessary, to form part of the fresh Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai on May

papital upw required.

Museus David Sassoon, Sons & Co. inform us that the Austrian Lloyd's s. s. Maria Teresa left Shanghai for this port yesterday afternoon.

WE have much pleasure in testifying to the excellent quality of the brand of champagne (G. H. Mumm and Co.) which Messre Shewan and Co. are advertising, and which we have had an opportunity to sample. From a statement supplied to us it appears that the wine is highly popular in the United States.

THE Neuchward, having been fitted with a new crank shaft, which was done by Boyd & Co., Ld., in the short space of 48 hours, resumed her voyage to Japan.

THE Army and Navy Gazette has the following :- The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry)-Second Lieut. J. A. Strick to be lieut. vics S. G. Moore, prom.

THE following is a Telegram from Mr Bibby to his directors, dated Raub, Tuesday, 10th May :- Raub Hole. -- Succeeded in lowering water to pump. Rough cleaning up of battery yielded 410 ounces amaigam. Estimated quantity of stone crushed for above

The Manchester Courier states that the announcement will soon be made that the young Princess Mary Victoria of Teck, who was formerly betrothed to the late Duke of Clarence, is now engaged in marriege to his popular young brother, Prince George of Wales.

HERE is another Yomiuri Shimbun marvel : -In the Handa division of Chita district. Bishu province, a man called Watanabe the police would much more Yoyemon has a mare farnished, with three front legs, so that the animal has five legs in all. Its colour is jet black; its height, quiet and strong beast.

Ol.a. and Arcona, is expected in Shaughai which relieved the corvette Sophic at Zanzibar, is a sister-ship to the Alexandrine. and was launched in 1885 at Dantzig.

Ar a village only seven or eight li from Chinking, says the Shanghan Mercury, two persons were recently attacked on the same day by a tiger. One a boy, who had his ear taken off, before some men working in a field, and attracted by his cries, went to his rescue and drove Mr Stripes away with hoes and spades and loud cries. The other victim was also a vouth, who was very badly lacerated before the tiger, which was scared by some noise, made off. There used to be shikharis at Chinking, -where are they now, we wonder!

THE Vicercy Chang Chih-tung has decided that the opposition of the inhabitants of the Mo-an bills in Changeha district shall no longer be permitted to hinder coal-mining in their country. In marked debance of their resistance and of the bogie, fengahui. to which the good stiff-necked people of that place fanatically cling, the Viceroy (says the Shaughai Mercury) has despatched an engineer and a party of miners, under military escort, to establish works and open mines, by which the foolish peasant will ere long, share the wealth that at present lies buried in the mountains.

Mr Lemon was a ratenayer.

By a gang robbery, says the Straits Times, in Jelebu, a Chinese mining kongsie have been robbed of \$2,000 which they had in their quarters The loss falls exclusively on the kongsie, not on the Company employing them; and in the robbery one miner of the kengule was shot dead and four were hart. It may be noted that the Jelobu Company is always willing to pay its miners, in whole or part, by draft on Singapore or Scremban; but a number of the men stick to the older way of taking all their earnings in dollars on the spot. Such an incident as that noted was always feared, because of the large sums that are paid to the kongsies in dollars.

Croad and the officers and engineers of the Mushim on the 16th inst., for the purpose Means Chun Fatting and T. Weir were present. Mr. W. V. Drummond, on beofficers preferred to withhold their probably be arbitrated. The statements of Captain Schulz and the officers and ougineers of the Peking have already been forwarded to Berlin.

CHEN, Governor of Anhwel, has issued inand purchaser, that is when the timber is white sugar, six cash a bale; red sugar four cash and two tenths; kerosene, ten cash per box; Foreign opium, two mace; Native, three mace per hamper. The lekin on paper, medicine and cloth is to be determined later. The income derived from these sources is to be devoted to local objects-' military defence, police, and bensvolence I'm Mercury

DEAFRESS ABSOLUTELY CUEED .- A Gentleman who cared himself of Declares and Noises in the Head of 14 years' standing by a new method. will be pleased to send full particulars fros. Address HERREUT CLIPTON, W. Shopherd a place, Kembogton Park, London, S.E., Kng.

MR WODEHOUSE ON THE CHAIR COOLIE QUESTION.

At the Magistracy Mr Wodehouse was occupied the greater part of the day hearing svider ce in a charge against a sukong of assault and attempting to extort money. The offences were said to have been committed in Possession Street on 5th inst., the alleged victim being a chair-coolie who it was said the likeng first tried to get money from in consideration of being allowed to remain in the street after midnight and then assaulted the coolie when the money was not handed up. The complaint was odged by the chair-coolie, but Mr Koh Hong Take has taken an interest in the case with a view to defending the coolies from harsh treatment at the hands of the

Mr Dennys defended the accused. His Worship, in delivering judgment, Hong Take has taken, in bringing to the notice of the authorities that there are excesses of duty on the part of the police towards the chair coolies, he has done service for which the authorities ought to police or of any other conduct such as out their duties is a matter which seriously. portant that the police force should conduct itself in such a way as no to give occasion for complaints of this pature. In the next place, I think

factorily manage this very difficult matter of chairs and street obstruction if, instead of 51.6 inches; its age five years. It is a miscellaneous regulations made at haphazard by everybody who occupies a posi- said-Clement John Mattock, the jury tion of authority, there were some definite THE Octavialische Lloyd says:-The Ger- rules laid down for the guidance of the police imprisoned him. No doubt, you conman flying squadron, consisting of the and chair-coolies. The Magistrates are frigate Leipzig (flag-ship of Rear Admiral constantly troubled with prosecutions for a space of some four or five days, and at you Pawelsz) and the corvettes Alexandrine, against chair coolies for doing what in the patoral order of things chair coolies will about the end of May, via Singapore. do in trying to get business and to earn The corvette Arcong, Captain Drager, a livelihood. There are no regulations either to guide the chair-coolies in what they may do or the police in what they doing. In regard to this street we have a street filled from end to end with houses very much frequented by the Chinese population at night time, and in the early hours of the morning chairs are in great demand, and it is natural that the chaircoolies who are in attendance, both for their own earnings and for the convenience of the people should be there. So far as I know, the police have no power to say this is an obstruction, and it is not an obstruction. The obstructions they lave to deal with are those

which give annoyance to inhabitants. There is no evidence to show that the chairs in this street are any annoyance to anybody. They are a great convenience to some people and no complaints have been made by any passer-by that their passage was discommoded. If it is desirable the chairs should not be there at that time of the night is was not for the sergeant of police on his own motion or authority to give an order of this kind, and it should be definitely laid down by regulation, which will be acted upon by the chair-enolies and by the police. I think that much of the trouble that is caused by the coolies is due to the want of carofully prepared regulations, and having orders of this kind, made by irresponsible persons without full consideration of the whole It is the extraordinary parsimony of the facts of the case there may naturally arise U.S. Government, says our Shanghai morn- excesses of duty on the part of the couing contemporary, that is delaying-if it stables who are employed in carrying out does not altogether prevent—the trial of the order. With a number of chairs in Mr Frame for the murder of G. Lemon, a street all auxious to get hire and not There is no one to prosecute him, because conscious of any offence against the law there is no one attached to the Consulate to they will naturally stick to those places draw up an indictment, and the government, where they consider, there is the will not pay any one to do it. It seems best opp runity of getting hire, and unless quite possible that in these circumstances the constable is to use some force other Frame will not be tried at all. Perhaps the than mere persuasion it is difficult to see Municipal Council will intervene, as the late how he is to carry out the order which is given him. A situation then arises in which the constable is exceeding his authority at the same time as he endeavouring to carry it out, and the public are dissatisfied and feel they are badly used. I entertain very little doubt that the assaults which have been spoken of have, broadly, been committed by the defendant, and very likely indeed by any other constable placed in the same position on duty in that street. I am always. anxious to impress upon the contables when the opportunity occurs how very important it is that they should remember. that assaulting coolies and using persons violence of that kind is a grave breach o duty and ought always to be supped whonever notice is drawn to it. when there comes a case of dealing with a specific offence criminally and of convicting a man of

especially a man in the position of a con-Wz learn from the Shanghai papers that in latable whose dismissal would very likely be connection with the recent Fushun-Peking involved by it—the evidence that might be collision. Mr von Loshr, German Vice- enitable for a general inquiry and for the Consulat Shanghai, received Captain | pprpose of ascertaining how the police are carrying on their duties becomes altogether useless for a conviction. In this instance. of hearing their depositions in the case. I pointed out when the case was first commenced that I could not take a mumber of separate assaults committed on different balf of the China Merchants', intimated to dates and a quantity of evidence relating to Mr von Loehr that Captain Croad and his extortion of money from various individuals ing the case:at different times—that I could not take evidence until a Court was constituted | these in the aggregate as evidence supportcompetent to decide the case, which will ing an assault stated to have been committed on one particular occasion. I say if one particular occasion was proved, that then the other offences of the same kind might be brought forward as evidence with regard to any sentence that might be passed, but as I was informed by the said C. J. Mattock, evidence tending to conviction on a specific my chief officer, that there were two Japa- Sanitary Control of the Suez Canal, a cor- at his own expense. offence that could not be admitted. regard to the assault stated to have been | days afterwards just before entering the in reference to Customs duties, adding to committed on the 5th May, I am bound to harbour of Hongkong, I told the said C. the list of commodities already paying duty say the evidence, although it leads one to J. Mattock to ascertain whether the men use the continues, and cloth, in addition to believe that assaults may have taken place would prefer to be handed over to the fourteen nation on the silver question, the closest reticence rulers and governments; that is to say, rice, timber, kerosene, sugar and epium by this constable at one time or another lice in Hongkong or be sent back to Japan; The rates are rice, one cash a picul, payable (and possibly on this occasion), is altogether and I stated I should prefer taking them by the purchaser in silver; timber, two too general and too vague to admit of my back and having them punished in Japan cash ad valorem, divided between the seller convicting the defendant. The evidence as to taking money is in a certain sense clearer than that of the assault, but that has also to be taken with the reservation

that it is brought forward by men who are dissatisfied with the action of the police in

SUPREME COURT. IN ORIMINAL JURISDICTION. (Before Mr Justice Fielding Clarke, Acting Uhief Justice.) Thursday, May 19.

SENTENCE IN THE 'ZAMBESI' CASE. This forenoon, Mr Justice Clarke passed sentence upon Clement John Mattock. chief officer of the steamship Zambesi, who was found guilty yesterday of having illegally imprisoned a Japanese stowsway on board the Zambesi while in Hongkong Harbour between the 4th and 9th of February last.

Mr Robinson, who defended the accused. made a statement in extenuation of his client's offence. From the affidavit filed by the captain, and which his Lordship had read, it would be seen that the chief officer was actually carrying out his superior's orders. The chief officer had agred loyally all through the cose towards the captain, and Mr Robinson aubmitted that having received this order from the captain the chief officer would have been guilty of breach of discipline had he dissaid-I consider that in the action Koh obeyed the order. While unfortunately guilty of a technical offence the chief officer sto d before the Court ontirely innocent and void of any moral offence. Mr Robinson recited cases of men having stowed away un board the Zambesi and having ascaped at the ports at which the vesse called, and sought to justify the conduct of be indebted to him. Any attempt at the chief officer in detaining the complainant as reasonable and free from ar-

The Attorney General said the object using unnecessary violence in carrying of this prosecution was not to obtain a vindictive punishment, but it must be learly understood that in the port of concerns everybody, and it is most im- Hongkong stowaways could not be confined on board ship and that the proper course was to send them on shore to be dealt with by the Magistrate as provided by the Merchant Shipping Act. It would be nothing short of a scandal if Captains and officers of ships in this port were allowed to take the law into their own hands and manacle stowaways because they thought it would be better to take them back to the port from which they came. His Lo dship, in delivering judgment

have recorded a verdict against you that you assaulte l this man and falsely fined this mate and his companion the close of that confinement, at any rate on one occasion, you coupled him and his companion together with handcuffs and fetters on their wrists and ankles. There is no doubt in my mind that you did this with the object of compelling that man to are to prevent the chair-coolies from go back to Japan in order that he might be used as a witness against another person or dealt with there as a stowaway : and there is no doubt whatever in my mind that you were perfectly aware that conduct was illegal and that you thought you would obtain immunity by the facts not coming to light. There is no doubt you would have done so had not this man, at the last moment, made his escape, a desperate and dingerous escape which has caused this present inquiry. Now you say you acted under the orders of your captain. am quite willing to believe the criptain did know, because I think it is exceedingly probable, and your Counsel now says you concealed that fact at your trial for very obvious reasons in order that he might escape the liability attached to him; but it you did act under the orders of the captain that is no excuse, because you must know perfectly well you are bound to obey your captain only in what appears legal and reasonable. That you believed this conduct to be legal, with your experience as a seaman. I cannot believe. I think you believed it was illegal. I cannot say I consider your conduct was arbitrary, but I consider it very to be loyal to your captain, but you would have been much more loyal. you had pointed out the illegality of his c nduct-if he suggested it and refused to be a party to it. But I take into consideration the very great provocation men in your position receive from these stowaways. I am quite aware that their presence must be a source . great annoyance and of possible danger to all on board, but you must know, and everybody must know, that officers and captains on board ship cannot be allowed to take the law into their own hands : and you know, and everybody knows, the proper way to deal with stowaways is to take

> Magistrate. This you did not do, and hence these proceedings which have been a source of great annoyance and exponse to you and I may say the Magistrate was quite right to commit the trial to the Supreme Court both in respect to yourself and in respect to the master. Having said that. I now come to the question of what sertonce I shou'd pass upon you. I have considered this case with great auxiety. and I am glad to say that I do not consider it necessary—as I believe, so far as my knowledge goes, that this is an isolated case—to inflict upon you the indignity of imprisonment. I prefer rather, innamuch as you say you were acting under the

them ashers and take them before the local

orders of the master, to inflict a punishment in which the master may share the burden if he chooses. I consider it necessary to pronounce a sentence which will mark the sense of the Court of the illegality your conduct, but in all the circumstances I am passing what I consider to be lenient sentence. You will be ordered to pay a fine of \$250, or in default to go to prison for three months. The following is a copy of the alidavit.

filed by the captain and chief officer regard-We, George Joseph Edwards and Clement | Saunghai Mercury. John Mattock, both of Victoria in the colony of Hongkong, severally make oath and say as follows :- And first, I, the said THE SANITARY CONFERENCE AND

George Joseph Edwards, for myself sav :-I am the master of the steamship Zambest On or about the 28th of January last nese stoways on board, and about four as a warning to other intending stownways. I was subsequently told that the men had elected to go back to Japan rather than to be handed over to the police in Hongkong.

Capt. G. EDWARDS. And I, the said C. J. Mattock, for my then proceeded to caution the constable to I therefore kept thom in confinement as world, whereas the danger to Europe by use of silver as money, and had prevented the past two years on the frontier, and to be more careful of his conduct in future. I stated in the evidence taken on the trief allowing even so many infected ships to the consideration of the question of the present meaning of Raisian troops there.

my duty to do. I was not aware that I this risk the protocol had decided to estab. | question. the law in any respect. C. J. MATTOCK.

THE MEMNON' SHOOTING CASE. In the absence of most of the witnesses in this case, in which Thomas Gilmour Keane, while acting as chief officer of the ly firing at and wounding a Chinese fireman was adjourned till Monday, 30th inst. Bail was continued at \$1000.

MINING ENTERPRISE IN CHINA.

suspected ships; (3) infected ships.

mited portion of the ship, the local au-

concerning the passage in quarantine,

sanitary authority at Suez, and a telegram

shall at once be sent to the authority

appointed by each Power. The ship in

question has to bear the cost of the

despatch. An officer and two sanitary

journey are carried out. No passengers will

be allowed to land during the possage

quarentine poutoon, where their clothes

Appended to the protocol a lopted by the

conference at Venice is a series of rogula-

that should be taken on board ships at the

tions describing the preventive measures

moment of departure, during the journey,

NEWS BY THE CANADIAN

MAIL

LONDON NOTES.

nerally approves the action taken by the

Government in prosecuting the publisher

and editor of the anarchist newspaper the

to be as hold in London as they were in

Chicag r B few years ago, and their vapor-

ings would probably have resulted before

long in a murderou, outbreak. Since the

strept of Mowbray and his editor there

has been no further trouble, and the anar-

chista are very quiet, although they carried

red fligs and listened to a speech to-day

leadership is concerned so that he will

own promotion. Meantime the Parnel-

London, April 23.-The community ge-

and on arriving at Sucz.

from Louise Michel.

Several evidences have recently been protocol then defines these classes. given of the growing desire on the part of suspented shins are to be detained in quaranthe Chinese Government; and more espetine at the Wells of Moses during the time civily on the part of a few enlightened enterprising high officials, to develope the required to disinfect the lines and other susimmenso mineral resources of the various; coptible objects and to insure the sanitary conprovinces of the empire. Hitherto mining | dition of the vessel. Infected ships include ships having cholers on board and new cases of all kinds has been virtually prohibited, having occurred within the previous seven or carried on as a government monopoly. days. In these cases the passengers are to be or in a quasi-official manner, which species disembarked and isolated in groups of as of development the rulers of China are at last beginning to recognize is almost worse few persons as possible. The linen and all than reseless. The disastrous results of articles in use and the ship itself are to be the working of the gold mines at Pingtu | disinfected. The passengers are to remain and Ting-hai in Shartung, referred to in life days thus isolated. In respect to mail these columns yesterday, furnish the latest ships, where the disease has invaded a liexample of the fatuity and fruitlessness of attempting to work mines under mandarin of landing the passengers, and of the musinuspices, even with western appliances. ber of persons, according to the places which which the Chinese are not fit to deal with they occupy on board, who should land. nuless under the closest Foreign superviand also of the portions of the ship to be Gold mining in Manchurin and Mongolia has hitherto been surreptitiously carried on by thousands of desperate This permission is to be granted by the characters, though the penalty of exposing and extracting the mineral riches of these provinces from the earth, have been made a capital offence, for which countless numbers of Chinamen have forfeited their lives. In the primitive, wasteful system guards will accompany the ship to Port of washing which these men follow, more Said, to prevent communication and to see than half the gold is lost. Many efforts have been made from time to time by that the measures prescribed during the Chinese merchants as well as by Foreigners to obtain permission from the Chinese provincial governments to work the mineral through the Canal from Suez to Port Said, and ships passing in quarantine cannot be deposits in Chihli. Shantung, and the vast stationed at Port Said. The provisioning but little khown extra-mural regions, comprised under the name of Mongolia and of ships most be carried out from the re-Manchuria, upon conditions that would be sources on board, and coaling must be done profitable to all parties, and which, basides outside the jetties. The pilots, the elecwould put a stop to the irregular opera- tricians, the agents of the company, and tions that have so largely contributed to the sanitary guards shall be disembarked lawlessness and disorder in these distant at Port Sid, outside of the port, between the jetties, and thence conducted to the parts of the empire. But with their proverbial obstinucy, the high Chinese officials have until recently steadfastly shut their small be completely disinfected. eyes to the words of wisdom, and ullowed the tressures of the earth to lie necless, or to be wasted. Recently, however, a wiser policy seems to have been adopted, and at the present moment there is strong likelihood of several valuable mineral deposits in Shingking being tapped under Foreign supervision, and worked by means of Foreign capital. We are not at liberty to may any more on this subject at the moment, but we think it not unlikely that a little time will see a very radical change in the attitude of the Chinese towards mining enterprises of all kinds, and that Foreign capital and skill are pretty certain to find a new and profitable field for em ployment in China. In all such mutters Li Hung-chang has taken the lead, and the latest instauce of the intelligent interest he erinces in mining is the coucession, which he has made to Messre. Tong hing-sing and Chu Yn-Chee to open the wellknown gold fields in the region of the recent disturbances in Manchuria. Let us hope that the enterprise will meet with every success, for it is the opinion of China were properly and fairly worked, Mr John Dillon out of the way a far as this ancient form of government will be ciable effect upon the relations of the two

lates the trade of the world. A company,

THE SUEZ CANAL.

lit a are looking on with interest at this we believe, is in process of formation in Shanghai to work the concession. In the new phase of the situation, and are refraining from any part of the quarrel At preselection of Mr Tong King-sing the Viceroy has made a wise choice, for the sent there are signs of settlement. concessionaire has already proved himself a compolent organiser and a successful administrator, as the Kniping coul-mines blow the office of the paper up with dynaprove. From all that we have heard and indging by the specimens of gold brought of the aparchists and other lawless persons. down from the mines, there seems to be The police have therefore detailed ten detec- will take place, this time under the revised tives to guard the building. little doubt that the precious metal abonude in that part of Manchuris, and the prospects of success are biguly encourage doubtless be that of Viscount Chelses and ing. Mr Tong King-sing, who celebrates Miss Mildred Sturt, which occurs on April and possibly serious on breaks. The workhis sixty-first birthday on the 16th inst., 30 h in Holy Trinity Church, Chelsen, The lingmen, among whom are many Social has already achieved remarkable success Viscount is son and heir of Earl Cadegar, lists, demand that the franchise be extended in coal mining, and it was mainly through one of the wealth eat in blemen of England. bis efforts that the Chinese Black Coun- and he bears an excellent character He is 1,500,000. They are very much in excellent try of which Kaiping is the base, has perhaps as desirable a "catch" as there is and will mak trouble, if their views are been created and became the central point in the kinedom, and it is known that the not well mot. King Leopold is very of western ideas on manufactures and in- Queen desired to bring about a match be- liberal in his ideas and hopes for a wide exdustries, which in the course of time will tween him and the Princess Mand of Wales, conquer prejudice in every province of but the young nubleman preferred his pre- any ous to have a clause inserted in the China, and make her what she has every sent choice to even a member of the Royal revision, allowing him to appeal to the requirement w-a great manufacturing Family. The prospective bride, who is a people whenever he cannot come to an and mining country. Amongst the lea- daughter of Lord Arlington, is 23 and her ders of the Chinese industrial revolution, mance 24 years of age. She is very popular which is slowly but surely in progress, Mr in society, and also apong the poor, who Tong King-sing occupies the foremost have received many proofs of her benevoplace, as is testified by his successful lent disposition. career as a director of the first railway EX-RING MILAN IN TROUBLE AGAIN. company in China. (of which the Viceroy

London, April 23.-Ex-King Milan. Li is the Director General), as managing | Servia, is again in a scandal. His relations director of the Chinese Engineering and to a shopkeeper's widow in Paris involved Mining Company, director of the Jehol him in numerous embarraments when he Silver Mines, and also as director of the had been in that city but a short time after very flourishing concern known as the his abdication, and to make himself free Tongshan Cement Works. It is just such for a fresh intrigue with an setress, a man that is wanted to undertake the agreed to pay his discarded love 24,000 opening of the gold mines in the north, france annually. Milan made for his name will inspire his countrymen quarterly payments of 6,000 francs each diction, and were averse to being quoted in gun on the Democratic Convention wignam with confidence, and we wish this new and that was all. The shopk oper's undertaking the success it doserves widew resorted to the Court, but through powerful influence Milan succeeded in Belgium has experienced during her history have 5,000 more tickets. The half will suppressing the scandal of a suit, and in as a nation. quieting her temporarily with promises to pay. He has not paid however, and this week again was served with papers The Times says :- In spite of certain reti- at the -widow's instance. If his friend cence on the part of the authorities con- the Czar does not come to his wid, the excerned in the Venice Conference on the King will probably compromise the matter beld on May let. This is a violent manifesto, other side of it will be the tables for the

Washington, April 21 - While it is an from the proofsheets of an official report, printed for the private information of the open secret that the President is end-svor-French Government, on the debate held by ing to secure an international conference alities who recently met at Venice. A in regard to the whole subject is maintained masters and oppressors. Then, and then protocol has been drawn up, signed by the st the White House and State and Tressury only on the ruins of the horrible and mondelegates of twelve out of the fourteen Departments. It is understood that the nationalities represented at the conference. President has practically completed arran-This protocol constitutes the actual text of generals for such a conference to be held the new sanitary law which a large majority early next Summer and that invitations future resting entirely on an agreement for of the European Powers desire to see ap. will be issued within a few weeks. Senator a free, harmonious and integral life. The plied to ships passing through the Suez Stewart is out-spoken in his characterisa-Causl. The instrument was described by tion of the plan as an electioneering dedepriving them of their rights of being in self-say :- 1. Acting as I believed in ac. Dr Proust is affording the greatest vice, absolutely devold of any honest pur-Possession Street, and that it is a charge cordance with the directions given to me possible facilities when a ship has a poss to carry even the express declaration very commonly made against the police, by the said G. J. Edwards, as bereinbefore clean bill of health, or as impleing of Congress in favor of the full remonstisaand unless a specific charge is also made stated I confined the said two stowsways in effective, but not recaused tion of silver. Senator Teller does not see It further press the working people to seize out against the constable of having done the store room of the ste mahip Zambest against all reseels that are infected or how the conference can have any practical this in the case of one individual or two I before entering the harbour of Hongkong, likely to be injected. He further quoted result in view of the insurmountable limit am unable to find him guilty of that. If and through the boutswain of the ship who statistics to show that, if during the past tation to be placed upon the conference the police upon further inquiries think acted as interpreter I enquired of the men seven years the protocol had been in force, according to the reports. This Senator there is full proof that the coustable has whother they would prefer being handed only fifty ships would have been stopped at hinted that the Administration, and not rangements for the great autume mander. been guilty of such action it will be in their over to the police in Hongkong or be taken; the Wells of Moses for the time necessary Great Britain as reported, had really so view of the Austrian army near Prezentyel power to presecute him, but on the case as | back to Japan, and I was told by the boat- to onsure their disinfection. He thought cured the limitation of the subjects to be in Eastern Galicia, show that the War Deit stands he is entitled to acquittal on both | swain that they stated in reply that they that was a small number, and could not passed upon by the conference to the concharges made against him. His Worship would prefer being taken back to Japan, materially affect the commerce of the aideration of means to accure the colorged monstration to the Russian manceuvres of

lagaretto of Gobel Tor. The protocul embo- present during dies most of the suggestions made by the The call says this action is impelled by the the four days' operations. French representatives, and has been signed | manifest determination; on the part of the by all the Powers except England and Tur- gold combine to suppress the silver issue. steamship Memnon, is accused of unlawful- key. It intimates that the principle of the for at least another half decade, and longer passage in quarantine of ships through the | if possible, and thus earith one class at the at Sandakan on 5th April last, the Sessions | Canal formulated by the Anglo-Austrian | expense of the other. Continuing the call protocol is accepted on condition that certain says the people want no '70 cent dollars, measures for the protection of the health of meither will alloy forever tolerate under the Egypt and Europe shall be applied. For this hypocritical pretence of honest money a dollar that has grown to be a 150 cent purpose ships are divided into three classes : dollar and is still growing at an durmented -(1) Ships with a clean bill of health; (2) rate as gold grows source and dear. The call is intended to all who earnestly favor the immediate restoration of free bimotallic coins in the United States, and each Congressman district is requested to send two delegates, and each territory to send two additional delegates at large. Farmers Alliance Organization, the State Grangers, the Patrons of Husbandry, the Knig its of Labor, and all other industrial organisations favorable to the free coinage of silver are also invited to send one delegate for each local organisation.

CARDINAL MARKING'S SUCCESSOR. London, April 24.—Elaborate preparapomp and aplendor then witnessed will mit the unpardonable sin. probably exceed any of the kind, since disinfected. The protocol then gives rules England became a Protestant country. The annual meeting of the Roman Catholie bi hops in England would in ordinary course have taken place in London tomorrow but has been postponed until the above date, in order to enable all the higher olergy to assist in the great ceremong of installing the Archoishop, which will take place in the pro-Cathedral in Kenaington, On May 1 th, Archbishop Vanchan will hold a reception in honor o the hishons and clergy and lay delegates, who will be assembled at the annual meet-

A REMINISCENCE OF 1848. Vienna, April 25. - A colossal couestrian statue of Marshal Rabetzky was unveiled in Amhoffs Square to-day. The scene was and made a short speech in which the Marshal's deeds were sulogised. The Emperorbers of Royalty were also present and an omit the meeting altogether. even hundred of Austrian and Hungarian Generals and 2,000 other officers took part in the grand friumphant march past the statue. After firing a volley of artillety, the Emperor highly complimented

the soulptor, Zumbusch, on his success, THE BELGIAN CONSTITUTION. Brusels. April 24. - Citizens are on the qui vive over the question of constitutional Common Weal. The anarchists are getting revision. The present Constitution is the only one that Belgium has ever had. It was adopted soon after the independence of the Kingdom in 1831; and though at precions metals, whose ratio almost regu- Healy's methods, although not urging his be voted upon. King Leopuld will then dissolve the Chambers and a new election Constitution. The bourgeois will make a desperate effort to secure the election of conservative candidates, pledged to alter The Standard has received several letters | the franchise as little as possible from anonymous writers threatening to revision of the Constitution will be the sole mite, because of its severe denunciations the work is completed the King will again dissolve Parliament and another election to at least 1,000,000 and perhaps to tension of the franchise. He is also

> agreement with his Cabinet. Most of the Ministers are opposed to this innovation. which they argue would put a dangerous power in the hands of the Menarch and would in the end be likely to react unfavorably upon him, by reason of the right of which the people would feel they lind to be appealed to on trivial questions. Brief interviews have been obtained with several prominent politicians on the subject of the p obable extent of the changes to be made by the revision. Most of the statesmen approached, bowever, refused to commit themselves to definite opinions. They professed to be without means of accurate pro-ANAROHY WITHOUT GOD OR MASTER!

seriously printed with the view of influenc- of 18,340. In front of the Speaker's stand ing the municipal elections, which will be the 840 delegates will be seated, and on the advocating neutrality in the elections, press. which are denounced as a bourgeous farce. Remember, the manifesto says, by going to the pells you imitate sheep going to the shambles. Be men; learn to do without strous past, whose social basis and rule stat an idioric struggle for existence, you may lay a foundation of an organisation of the principles of equality, liserty and justice will then no longer be vain formulas, and by anarchy, without God or master, all will freely produce according to their strength while consuming according to their wants. commence a social revolution.

AUSTRIAN MILITARY MANGUYRES. London, April 23.—The orders and ar-

yesterday. 2. In imprisoning the said pass would be very great. He explained best means of securing free coinage of From an officer of the general staff your stownways and in noting as I did I verily that Me Lowther had said that, though silver. He hold, and other silver Senators correspondent learned on Friday that fully believed that I was carrying out the wither England was not seeking to acquire any entertained the same belief, that the con- 10,000 men would be in the field, and and instructions of my commanding officer privileges, she was anxious to shield Egypt ference would come to nothing unless it that every improvement in the art of warand that I was doing no more than it was from the risk of infection. To prevent was slowed to consider the free coinage fare would be tested. We will show them and the staff officer in speaking of was committing any wrong or infringing lish the sanitary station not at Suez, but Washington, D. C., April 23. - Chairman Russia, that if they throw half a million at the Wells of Moses, which are separated Warner of the National Silver Committee, men, as they say, over our border, we will from Egypt by the Canal. This station to-day issued the official call for a national not be slow in throwing them back. Bewould serve only for ordinary ships, while Silver Convention at Washington, May 26 sides the Emperor Franz Joseph, Emperor the pilgrim ships would be stopped at the and 27, one of the objects of which is to William of Germany, and the King of

> A MURDEROUS MANIAC St. Petersburg, April 24. The choirpaster of a private chapel in Peterhof exish, 16 miles west of this city, suddenwent crazy at his home last night. His wife was already in bed, and he was preparing for bed, when he was atricken. He got an axe from the woodshed and chopped his wife into small pieces on the ed. He then gathered the pieces in and emptied them into the store. His three children, of 8, 10 and 12 years, who slept in the next room, woke and creamed for help. The choirmaster bound and gagged them, dragged them to the river, at the edge of his place, and drowned them. The neighbors who had been roused by the children's screams, run to the river. int too late to save their lives. The father then plunged into the water, but was taken out. A crowd gathered around the uil this morning and tried to force un entrance, that they might lynch the prisoner, but they were driven off by his watchmen. The choirm stor's insanity is tions are in progress for the enthronement thought to be due to his fanstical zear in of Rishop Vaughan, as Archbishop of church work and his prolonged fasurg thority shall be judge as to the necessity Westminster, to succeed the late Cardinal Recently, after living ten days on broad Manning in that office. The ceremonies and water, he showed signs of breaking take piece on May 8th, and the scenes of down and told his wife that he should com-

> > THE IRIBH FACTIONS. Cork. April 24.—The Mayor of Cork presided to-day over a big meeting of Parnellites to demand an amnesty for the Irish political prisoners. Resolutious were adopted demanding that the Government release these prisoners and arging the Irishmen in America to bring this question strongly before the candidates for President at the coming election, with a view to obtaining every personal support for the movement. The Hoalvites boycotted the

Dublin, April 24.—In speaking at Slane this evening Mr John Dillon answered the recont statement of the Parnellites as regards the National Fund for evicted tenants. In the last six months, he said. enlivened by a splendid array of troops and | £13,607 had been paid out to aid families officials and a deputation of veteraus who forcibly dispossessed. Mr Davit advised fought under the Marshal. The Emperor, the holding of a Home Rule convention with a brilliant escort, was also present directly niter the Bellast Unionist Con-

The Government forces suppressed Mi personally unveiled the statue. A brief Flynn's meeting at Mallow to denounce religious service followed, after which sev. grabber Cashmana and Mr O'Connor. The eral volleys of artillary were fired. The officers informed Mr. Flyon that he might monument is on the exact spot where the speak, but must not refer to the farmers. revolutionists of 1848 hanged Count. La. As the 'grabbera' were to be the subject tour, the Minister of War. Various ment of Mr Flynu's address, he preferred to A SENSATIONAL MARRIAGE.

New York, April 23 .- A Herald special

from El Reno, O. T., says: One of the most sensational killings ever known in this section is reported from the Western border of the territory. A young man named Henry Harvey has been paying attention to a young woman in that neighbourhood, named Mary Wilson. Another man in the same vicinity also wished to pay his respects to the young noman, and the result was that a feud was at once insugurated, Harvey was the favored suitor; but the that time its liberality was far in advance other lover. John Tobin, was well known of that of any form of governme t in as a desperate character, and a fight was Europe, and the franchise was given to the inevitable result of the complication. 120,000 citizens, the lapse of 60 years has Harvey was with Miss Wilson ut a dance, wrought a great change in this respect, and during the festivities a quarrel was Other nations have been amending fran- started between the two men, which roun!-The row in the Irish party is getting chises, while Belgium's Constitution has ted in Harvey getting a ball through his many experts that if the gold deposits of lively. Mr Timothy Healy is trying to get remained unaltered. On Tuesday next right long, which inflicted a serious but solemnly produced in the Chamber of Dep. him when the shot was fired, and as soon as have no rival. Mr John Dillon objects to uties, and the question of its revision will befell to the ground shedrew from his nocket his revolver and fired point blank at Tobin, shooting him directly through the forehead will be held under the provisions of this killing him instantly. The people of the vicinity say that else served him right. She at once went to nursing Harvey and to better do it she called for a minister and was married to the wounded man There was talk by some of Tobin's friends bu iness before the new Chamber. When of having the girl arrested, but they were soon allenced by the people of the neighborhood, who strongly hinted that such schion would be visited by a faunching bee. It is Constitution, All this will occupy saveral probable that the young woman will never The swell at wedding of the year will mouths, during which time the country be brought to court for her crime, and if will be convulsed by debates, demonstrations she is there can never be a jury secured that will convict her.

A GIGANTIC FRAUD DISCOVERED. New York April 20. The Costom authorities for some time past have been quietly investigating what has turned out to be a gigantic conspiracy of Guatom tiouse employees, brokers and importers. who have for many years been defrauding the Government by undervaluating importa-Thee arrests were made last night. It is I arned that 30 persons are to be arrested to-day. They include a few important two or three brokers, and the remainder are Custom House small vets. The Government has evidence that 40 others are implicated. but there is not sufficient proof of their quilt at present to warrant their arrest. Collector Handricks and Special Treasure Agent Whitehead held a conference last night in regard to the matter, but neither official would talk of the case at present. They said all the facts of the case would be made public to-day.

A SIGARIIC WIGWAM. New York, April 22 - A special to the World from Chicago says: Work was beregard to an issue, which all parties con- to-day. It will accommodate 20 000 persider as fornishing the most serious crisis sons, instead of 15,000, and Chicago will accommodate 12,000 speciators in the main floor. 5,400 in the gallery, 400 in the boxes, Furis. April 25. L'Eclaire publishes 840 delegates, 400 newspaper represents. the text of an Anarchist proclamation tives and 30 invited quests, making a total

> TAE MERCIER PROSECUTION. Toronto, April 26 .- The Empire's Montreal correspondent declares that the raport of the proceedings against Mr Mercier and his colleagues having been abandoned, ra false from beginning to end.

THE AUTHOR OF THE MARSEILLAMR. Paris, April 25 --- A statue of Rouget de Lisie who wrote the words and music of the blarecillaise, a hundred years ago, was unveiled to day at Choisey le Rei.

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